The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

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LONDON, January 10.

THIS Day his Majesty went to the House of Peers with the usual State, accompanied by his Grace the Duke of Rutland, Master of the Horse, and the Right Hon. the Earl of Pomfret, and opened the Session with the following most gracious Speech from the Throne.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE Situation of Affairs, both at Home and Abroad, has enabled me to allow you that Recess which has been usual in Times of public Tranquility.

I have now the Satisfaction to inform you, that I have agreed with My good Brother the King of Denmark, to cement the Union which has long subsisted between the Two Crowns, by the Marriage of the Prince Royal of Denmark with My Sister the Princess Caroline Matilda, which is to be solemnized as soon as their respective Ages will permit.

I observe with Pleasure, that the Events which have happened in the Course of last Year, give Us Reason to hope for the Duration of that Peace which has been so happily established, and which it is My Resolution strictly to maintain. The Courts of France and Spain have given Me fresh Assurances of their good Dispositions. The future Quiet of the Empire has been confirmed by the unanimous Choice of a Successor to the Imperial Dignity, and the peaceable Election of the King of Poland has prevented those fatal Consequences which, upon similar Occasions, have so frequently been destructive to the Repose of Europe. I am happy, therefore, to meet My Parliament at a Time, when no Foreign Disturbances interrupt their Consultations for the internal good Order, and Prosperity of My Kingdoms.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I shall ask of you, for the current Service of the Year, no other Supplies than such as are necessary for those Establishments which have already met with your Approbation; and I will order the proper Estimates for this Purpose to be laid before you.

I must, however, earnestly recommend to you the Continuance of that Attention, which you have hitherto shewn, for the Improvement of the publick Revenue, and the Diminution of the National Debt. For these desirable and necessary Ends, I am persuaded that you will pursue every proper Measure, which the State of My Dominions, and the Circumstances of the Times, may require.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The Experience which I have had of your former Conduct, makes Me rely on your Wisdom and Firmness, in promoting that Obedience to the Laws, and Respect to the Legislative Authority of this Kingdom, which is essentially necessary for the Safety of the Whole; and in establishing such Regulations as may best connect and strengthen every Part of My Dominions, for their mutual Benefit and Support.

The Affection which I bear to My People excites My earnest Wishes, that every Session of Parliament may be distinguished by some Plans for the Publick Advantage, and for their Relief from those Difficulties which an expensive War has brought upon them. My Concurrence and Encouragement shall never be wanting where their Welfare is concerned; And I trust that, for the Attainment of that great Object, you will proceed with Temper, Unanimity, and Dispatch.

The Humble ADDRESS of the Right Honourable the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, return Your Majesty our humble Thanks for Your most gracious Speech from the Throne.

We acknowledge, with Gratitude, Your Majesty's Goodness, in acquainting us with your having agreed to a Marriage between the Prince Royal of Denmark and Your Majesty's Sister, the Princess Caroline Matilda, to be solemnized as soon as their respective Ages will permit. And we beg Leave to assure Your Majesty of our entire Satisfaction in the Choice of this Alliance; which, under the Blessing of Providence, cannot fail of cementing and strengthening the Union, which has so long subsisted between the Crowns of Great-Britain and Denmark, and thereby conducing to the Support of the Protestant Cause.

We sincerely rejoice in those Events of the last Year, which seem to promise a Continuance of the Peace so happily established; and we receive with Gratitude the Declaration which Your Majesty is graciously pleased to make, of Your Resolution strictly to maintain it. We hope, that the fresh Assurances which the Courts of France and Spain have given of their good Dispositions; the Quiet of the Empire, confirmed by the unanimous Choice of a Successor to the Imperial Dignity; and the peaceable Election of the King of Poland, will contribute to the Security of the general Tranquility of Europe, and that it will long remain fixed on a firm and lasting Basis. And we beg Leave to assure Your Majesty, that, in the present undisturbed State of Affairs Abroad, affords so favourable an Opportunity for the Deliberations of Your Parliament on such Objects, as may be most conducive to the internal good Order and Prosperity of these Kingdoms, nothing shall be wanting in Care and Attention, on our Part, which may promote the Welfare and Honour of our Country.

Permit us, Sir, to offer to Your Majesty our humble Acknowledgments, for the gracious Approbation which Your Majesty is pleased to declare of our former Conduct; and to give Your Majesty the strongest Assurances, that we will firmly persist in exerting our zealous Endeavours to promote due Obedience to the Laws, and Reverence to the Legislative Authority of this Kingdom; and to establish such Regulations, as shall appear to be most conducive to the mutual Benefit and Support of all Your Majesty's Dominions.

With Hearts full of Duty and Affection, we offer our unfeigned Thanks to Your Majesty, for Your paternal Care, and tender Concern for the Difficulties which have been brought on Your Subjects by a long and burdensome War; and for Your Royal Wishes, that Your Parliament may take every Occasion for their Relief. Animated with these Sentiments, we assure Your Majesty, that we will proceed with that Temper, Unanimity and Dispatch, which Your Majesty is pleased to recommend to us in the Pursuit of those great and important Objects, to which Your Majesty has directed our Attention.

His MAJESTY's most gracious ANSWER.

My LORDS,

I Thank you for this dutiful and affectionate Address. The Satisfaction which you express on the intended Marriage of my Sister, the Princess Caroline Matilda, is particularly agreeable to me. And I accept, with Pleasure, the Assurances you give me of your zealous Endeavours for the Advancement of the Prosperity of my Kingdoms, and the Happiness of my People, which I shall ever have most sincerely at Heart.

The Humble ADDRESS of the House of Commons to the KING.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Great Britain, in Parliament assembled, beg Leave to return Your Majesty the most humble Thanks of this House, for Your most Gracious Speech from the Throne.

Permit us, at the same Time, to offer to Your Majesty our dutiful Congratulations upon the Marriage agreed to be solemnized between the Prince Royal of Denmark, and her Royal Highness the Princess Caroline Matilda, as soon as their respective Ages will permit; which happy Union cannot but be most pleasing to Your faithful Commons, as it must tend to cement and strengthen the ancient Alliance between the Crowns of Great-Britain and Denmark, and thereby add Security to the Protestant Religion.

We beg Leave also to declare our Satisfaction at those Events of the last Year, which promise the Continuance of the Peace so happily established and maintained by Your Majesty's wise and steady Conduct, and to express our Hopes, that the fresh Assurances which have been given by the Courts of France and Spain, of their good Dispositions, the unanimous Choice of a Successor to the Imperial Throne, and the undisturbed Election of the King of Poland, will secure and confirm the general Tranquility of Europe. In this Situation, we think it our Duty to give our particular Attention to such Regulations, as will most effectually promote the internal good Order and Prosperity of these Kingdoms.

Your Majesty may be assured that we will, with Chearfulness and Dispatch, raise such Supplies as shall be found necessary for the current Service of the Year. And, being thoroughly sensible of Your Majesty's paternal Concern for the Relief and Welfare of Your People, in recommending to us the Improvement of the public Revenue, and the Diminution of the national Debt, on which the future Safety of Great-Britain must depend, we will apply ourselves, with the utmost Zeal and Assiduity, to carry into Execution every proper Measure which may contribute to these great and salutary Purposes, and which the State of Your Majesty's Dominions, and the Circumstances of the Times, shall require.

We acknowledge, with the liveliest Gratitude, the Gracious Expressions of Your Majesty's tender Affection, and of Your constant Care for the mutual Benefit and Support of all Your Subjects. And we assure Your Majesty, that, animated with these Sentiments, we will endeavour to deserve the Confidence which Your Majesty is pleased to repose in us, by pursuing every Plan which shall appear to us to be calculated for the public Advantage; and will proceed therein with that Temper and Firmness which will best conciliate and enforce due Submission to the Laws, and Reverence to the Legislative Authority of Great-Britain.

LONDON, January 12.

ON the 6th ult: was drove on Shore in Mafin, about 16 Miles from Derry in Ireland, a Ship, called the Othello, of Glasgow, John Coffins, Commander, a Guinea Trader, but last from Jamaica, laden with 100 Hogsheads of Sugar, some Puncheons of Rum, Mahogany Planks, Bags of Cotton, Logwood, Ebony, Lignum vitæ, Elephants Teeth, &c. a great Part of which is spoiled, and a great Part lost; the Sugars are all lost: there were Fourteen Hands on board, all of whom, except the Captain, Boatswain, and a Black, by much Difficulty, were got on Shore that Night, by the Humanity of Mr. Thomas Harvey, Coast Officer at that Place: The Captain, Boatswain, and Black, stayed on board all Night; the Sea running Mountains high, and washing over them; however, in the Morning Mr. Harvey got them brought off, almost dead with Cold and Hunger. The Captain and Ex Sailors Mr. Harvey has taken into his own Family, and the Remainder he has lodged in Farmers Houses, till proper Methods are taken to save as much of the Cargo as is possible for the Owners. This is the fourth Time that this Gentleman has been (under God) the happy Instrument of saving the Lives of Crews shipwrecked near him, and of preserving as much of the Cargoes for the Owners as was possible.

Jan. 18. Samples of American Iron in Bars, lately brought over from Quebec, have been this Week tried by different Operations, and are said to turn out so well for various Kinds of Manufactures, that we hear a Bill will be laid before the Parliament to encourage its Importation.

Extract of a Letter from Capt. Goddard, of the Lord Hyde Packet, dated Falmouth, Jan. 12.

"On the 17th of December we set sail from New-York, and got clear of Sandy Hook the same Evening. The 20th, 21st, and 22d, had very bad Weather, with variable Winds and high Seas. On the last of these Days, about 8 o'Clock in the Morning, a Whale struck the Ship on the larboard Bow, the Ship then running Seven Knots and nine Knots, which struck the Keel [illegible] Inches from the Side of the Head, and [illegible] it to go down under the Ship's Bottom; for

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that the ran over it and crumbled, in a Manner rather to be imagined than described. The Whale bled abundantly, but the Ship received no apparent Hurt. On the 29th, 30th, and 31st, of the said Month December, and 1st of January, had very stormy Weather, Wind from W. S. W. to N. W. and exceeding high Seas, both from the W. S. W. and from the North, insomuch, that on the 29th ult. about ten in the Morning, a Sea broke all over the Ship, carried away some of the Quarterboards; stove the Binnacle and Pinnace, washed over-board one of the Hen Coops, filled the Fore-sail, the only one Set, and Split it into Pieces, washed away several of our Halfports, and did other considerable Damage: The Wind still increasing, I scudded under the Sprit-sail until One in the Afternoon, when finding it exceeding Dangerous, and shipping very heavy Seas, I judged it expedient to lye the Ship to-a-hull, which I did; and so continued for twenty-six Hours, when the Wind and Sea being somewhat abated, bore away, and set Reef Courses, and proceeded on our Voyage: From that Time to this, have had many Storms, some fair and some contrary, with very few Intermissions of tolerable Weather; particularly last Night a most dismal Storm at S. S. W. off this Port; but, thro' Divine Providence, had the Pleasure to arrive here this Day about one o'Clock."

The Damage done to the Dutch Ship by the Hector is amicably adjusted with the Owners, and amounts to about 3000 l.

On Tuesday Night the Albion East-Indiaman, outward-bound, was drove from her Anchors in Margaret-road, and lost off the North-Foreland; the Men were saved, as likewise what Bullion was on board, and Part of the Bale-Goods. The Horsemendon likewise lost her Anchors.

The following odd Circumstance which lately happened in this Metropolis, is said to be authentic: A Shopman to a capital Silk Mercer having, for many Days, observed a young Lady take an Opportunity to secrete some Goods every Time she came, and knowing her to have an independent Fortune, formed a Resolution to convert her Crime and Avarice to his own Advantage; accordingly the next Time she came, he artfully laid some Things of Value in her Way, which she did not fail to pocket; but at going away, the Shopman desired her to walk into a back Parlour, where he roundly charged her with the Theft. In the Midst of the Terrors which this Accusation threw her into, he proposed an Expedient he observed was the only Method to save her Honour and her Life, which was, to marry him: She consented, and the young Fellow is now in Possession of a very handsome young Thief, and Twelve Thousand Pounds.

Jan. 20. Yesterday was held a Board of Trade, relating chiefly to the commercial Affairs of North-America.

Jan. 21. We hear a Scheme is on Foot for establishing a native Company of Artillery in all the American Provinces, independent of the Detachments of the Corps occasionally sent from England.

A Detachment from the Royal Regiment of Artillery at Woolwich, have this Week received Orders to prepare for Embarkation for North-America.

Yesterday Morning Mr. John Williams, Bookseller, in Fleet-street, was brought into the Court of King's Bench, Westminster, for re-publishing the North Briton, No. 45, in Volumes, and received the following Sentence, viz. To suffer six Months Imprisonment in the King's Bench Prison, to stand in the Pillory once during that Time, to pay a Fine of 100 l. and to give Security for his good Behaviour for seven Years, in a Bond of 500 l. himself, and two Securities in 250 l. each.

We are informed the Rent-Rolls of certain appropriated Lands in the Provinces of *Virginia*, *Maryland*, *Pennsylvania*, and *New-York*, holden by former Grants from the Crown, and which are said to be to the Amount of even a princely Revenue, will soon be laid before an august Assembly, previous to certain important Regulations now upon the Carpet.

It is confidently said, certain Laws relating to his Majesty's American Colonies are about to be demolished, and others, more agreeable to the Genius of the Country, and Constitutional Liberty, substituted in their Place.

KINGSTON, in *Jamaica*, *January* 26.

On Sunday last the Remains of the once prosperous, gay, beautiful, and almost irresistably engaging Miss TERESIA CONSTANTIA PHILLIPS, were interred in the Church-yard of this Town, unattended by a single Friend of either Sex!—While we hope no ungenerous Insult will be offered to her Ashes, we cannot forbear adding our Wishes, that a Catastrophe so striking and melancholy may prove an advantageous Lesson to many of the Surviving Fair; and convince them, however flattering Appearances may be, on their first Deviation from the Paths of Rectitude and Honour, that no Admiration will be lasting, no Happiness secure, which is not founded on the Basis of Virtue.

CHARLES-TOWN (*South-Carolina*) *March* 6.

Letters from East Florida inform us, that Lieut. Mouserief, Engineer, had compleated the Survey of the Muskitoe Harbour, which is very safe, the Bar good, the Timber fine, the Soil rich, and the Climate very favourable.

A Gentleman of Honour and Veracity has furnished us with the following surprizing Instance of the Fertility of the Soil and Mildness of the Climate in these South-American Provinces, viz. "He "saw a few Days ago, in a Gentleman's Garden, "near Savannah in Georgia, a Cabbage-Plant, "which having stood the Winter three Years, "and Seeded annually, rises from one Root, and "spreads over a Circumference of Thirty Feet, "measuring Ten Feet over every Way." [*This grand Cabbage will require a bags Copper to boil it.*]

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 18.

We have Authority to inform the Public, that the General Assembly of this Province will not meet on the 13th of *May*, to which Day it now stands Prorogued; but will be further Prorogued, on account of the Small-Pox being yet in Town.

Wednesday last Died, in *St. Mary's* County, after a long Illness, Capt. RICHARD WARD KEY, Clerk of that County.

Last Saturday, one —— *Hubbart*, a Convict Servant Man, from *Elk-Ridge*, was committed to our Jail, for the Murder of his Master, Mr. *James Hood*, a young, honest, industrious Man, by Stabbing him.

The SMALL-POX seems to be Abating fast in Town.

☞ *This* GAZETTE, N° 1041, *Begins the Twenty-first Year of It's Publication: But alas! must soon Drop and Expire, at least for some Time, if the melancholy and alarming Accounts, we have just heard from the Northward, prove True, That an Act of Parliament is shortly to take Place, laying a heavy and insupportable* STAMP-DUTY *on all* AMERICAN GAZETTES, *&c. &c.*

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 16, 1765.

WHEREAS it has been represented to his Excellency the Governor, that there was lately fixed up at a Church in *Charles* County, by some Wicked and Evil Disposed Person or Persons, a threatening Advertisement, in the following Words, *viz.*

"March the 18th 1765 This is to give Notice "to Mr. Winters & Justeses of Charles Not to "meet on Saturday next at Hugh M^cBrides if "Judgment Goes against one man they may be "sure of being privately burnt up, if Mr. Winter "will be obstinate he may be sure of being pri"vately burnt up, it hath pleased almighty God "to send a hard winter & scarsity by a Desiffient "summer and we' not agreeing to warranting— "so much private Rogery by Malitious Constables "in striving to get half Crowns, William Compton "Gill & Oliver burch may be sure of being pri"vately burnt up if striving to get one man to "justice, if Hugh M^cBride Doth not call in all "the Warrants he hath issued out And warrant "Nomore he may be sure of being way Layd "and shott, there is no less than sixty two persons "who Find one thing that will honestly pay "Debts, but if warranted is Fully bent to Do "murder to the Justises & Constables of Charles "County, pray Reader Give this to John Winter "as he may warning take Left he is privately "Murdered."

HIS Excellency, therefore, in order to Discover and Punish the Author or Authors of the above threatening Paper, will give the above Reward of Fifty Dollars, to be paid on the Conviction of the Party, and further promiseth his Lordship's Pardon, to any one who will make a Discovery of the said Author or Authors, or his or their Accomplice or Accomplices, provided the Discoverer be not the Principal, so that he or they may be Convicted thereof. *Signed per Order*,

U. SCOTT, Cl. Con.

JOSEPH RUTHEL,

WHO has Taught in the Country for Twelve Months with considerable Success, being encouraged by several Gentlemen in Town, intends to open SCHOOL in the City of *Annapolis*, on the first Monday in *May* next, in the House formerly occupied by Mr. *Littleton*, where he will Teach the following Branches, *viz.* READING, in which no Pains will be wanting to give Children a true Pronunciation and proper Delivery; WRITING, agreeable to an approved and familiar Method, by which he has made many Improvements in a short Time: And, ARITHMETIC, in a laconic and expeditious Manner, particularly adapted to fit Youth for mercantile Business. And as he is determined to confine himself to a much smaller Number of Pupils than are usually received in Schools, and to use all possible Diligence to promote their Improvement, as well in the above Branches, as in having a proper Regard to their Behaviour, he humbly hopes for the Encouragement of the Public, which, to deserve a Continuance of, shall be his constant Endeavour.

He will also attend a few young Ladies or Gentlemen at their Houses from XII to I o'Clock in the Forenoon, and from V to VI in the Afternoon. Those who are pleased to favour him with the Care of their Children, may depend on their being well treated in all Respects, and may be particularly informed of the Terms, *&c.* by enquiring at Mr. *Knapp's*, Watchmaker, in Town.

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JUST IMPORTED in the Ship JANE, *Capt.* COULSON, *from* LONDON, *and to be SOLD at my Store in* BALTIMORE-TOWN,

A VARIETY of *EUROPEAN* and *EAST-INDIA* GOODS, *Cheshire* and *Gloucestershire* Cheese, Pickles of all Kinds, *&c. &c. &c.*

I have likewise for Sale, lately imported, a Quantity of very good Molasses in Hogsheads and Tierces, *Fyall* and *Teneriffe* WINES in Quarter Casks, *West-India* RUM and *Muscovado* SUGARS in Hogsheads and Barrels, fine *Irish* pickled and dried SALMON, to be disposed of on the most reasonable Terms, for ready Money, by

(6^e) JOHN STEVENSON.

N. B. Gold, Silver, or Paper Money, for Bills.

Frederick County, *April* 12, 1765.

To be SOLD by Way of PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the Second of May, *at the House of Mr.* Samuel Sweringen, *in Frederick-Town, for Current Money*,

A VALUABLE Tract of LAND called *Sister Leaf*, containing 200 Acres, lying about 9 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, well Watered and Wooded.

Any Person inclinable to know the Title before the Day of Sale, may be informed, by applying to WILLIAM HILLERY.

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 17, 1765.

To be SOLD, for ready Money or short Credit,

A COMPLETE *Rhode-Island* made hollows Top CHAISE and HARNESS almost new, and large enough for two Horses, but has commonly been used with one.

Also a good Road and Chaise HORSE. For Terms apply to

(3^w) HENRY CATON.

STOLEN from the Subscriber, living on the North Side of *Severn*, a Sorrel Mare about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock D, has one or two Warts on her Nose, a natural Pacer, and is big with Foal. It is more than probable the said Mare was Stolen by one *William Moor*, who has been heard to say he would have her, and is now gone off, and was seen on her by a Person in the Neighbourhood. There is gone with him a Woman, named *Elizabeth Rogers* (and her Daughter about 10 Years old) with whom he has kept Company for some Time past. The Woman now bears his Name, is about 35 or 40 Years of Age, has black Eyes, sharp visaged, dressed in a white Linen Gown (but perhaps may have changed it, as she had others) blue and red quilted Petticoat, and a white Cloth Cloak. The Man was born in *Ireland*, looks very wild, and speaks thick and fast: Had on a coarse blue Broad Cloth Coat, red Everlasting Waistcoat, Check Shirt, Leather Breeches, Yarn Stockings, a new Castor Hat, and a large Great Coat of a Dove Colour.

Whoever apprehends the Villain, and brings the Mare home, shall have Eight Dollars Reward, paid by DURCAS HILL.

IMPORTED in the Ship *Jane*, Capt. COULSON, from LONDON, and to be SOLD, by SAMUEL DORSEY, *junr.* at his Store at Elk-Ridge *Landing*, a Neat and General Assortment of Merchandize, (among which are the following) on the most reasonable Terms, for Cash, Tobacco, Wheat, Rye, Indian Corn, Oats, Flaxseed, Hemp, &c.

SUPER and superfine Broad Cloths of different Colours, black and dove colour'd Velvets, rich black and blue Corduroy, fine Hairbine, superfine Worsted and Silk Sagathies, Serge-denim, fine Hair Shag, Ladies Mourning, Rattinets, Shaloons, Tammies, Durants, Prunello, green, blue, black, and Cloth coloured Callimancoes, beſt black, green, and Pink coloured Damaſks, black Sattin, ſtriped Mantua, Neckcloth Mode, cyprus, flowered and corded Gauſe, Crimſon Pollicats, twilled Calgees, and Handkerchiefs of all Sorts, fine and coarſe *Iriſh* Linens, white and brown Sheeting, Oſnabrigs and Rolls, brown and white Buckram, Dowlas, brown and gulix Holland, Long Lawns, Diaper Table-cloths, Nankeens, Callicoes of all Sorts, Humhums, Cambricks, Lawns, Niccanees, Womens ſuperfine Scarlet Cloaks, Cloth coloured Ditto, yellow, blue, green, and Pink coloured Womens 8 breadth Coats, Bed Bunts, *Flanders* Bed Ticks, Bolſters and Pillows, Hair Mattreſſes, Mens fine & coarſe Worſted Hoſe of different Colours, Womens Ditto, Mens knit, white and brown Thread Ditto, both ribbed and plain, Mens and Womens beſt Silk Hoſe ſorted, Thread and Worſted Breeches Patterns, with Trimmings, Mens beſt oil'd Buck welted Gloves, white waſh Ditto, black Lamb ribbed Ditto, beſt glazed Kid Ditto, Grain tanned ſtiff Tops Ditto; Womens fine treble glazed Kid Gloves, Ditto Mitts, Girls Ditto, Womens and Girls Lamb Ditto, beſt brown Gimp, *Italian* Crape, neateſt black Gimp Trimmings, covered Wire, neat bound Mantua Bonnets, black drawn Sattin Ditto, neat black Mantua covered Hats, ſpotted Sattin Ditto, figured and plain Cambrick Stocks, neweſt faſhioned Stock Tape, white and brown Thread of all Sorts, *London* Quality, *Manchester* Tape, beſt Binding, *Holland*, Thread and Diaper Tape, Silk and Cotton Laces, letter'd and plain Garters, coloured Silk Ferrets, ſewing Silk of all Sorts and Colours, *Dutch* Pretties, Womens and Girls Fans, ſome very neat, Wire and Horn mould Shirt Buttons, Horn Button Moulds, rich coloured Silk Girdles, beſt ſorted Crewels, neateſt *French* Head Flowers, fine Slacks in Shades, painted Frame Looking Glaſſes, carved and gilt Ditto, Mahogany Stools with Hair Bottoms, *Havannah* Wood Cloſe Stools with Pewter Pans, beſt red *Ruſſia* Leather Chairs, Hair Brooms, and Bruſhes of all Sorts, Wheat Riddles and Sieves, Mens and Boys Felt and Caſtor Hats, Boys Silver laced Ditto, fine and coarſe Linen Checks, Cotton Ditto, Yard wide Dimothy, ſtriped Silk Gingham, *Gorman* and embolſed Serges, Bearſkins, Mens Great Coats, Forreſt Cloths, Kerſeys, Half-thicks, Matchcoats, Blankets and Rugs, *Welch* Cotton ſingle and double, neat Hunting Saddles and Snaffle Bridles, fine Saddles with ſuperfine green Saddle-Cloths, and other Furniture compleat, beſt fine Cloth Houſings with Silk and Hair Lace and Fringe, and large Gold Flowers, large Saddle-Cloths and Houſings in one Piece, trimmed with Leather, Check Ditto bound, whole Curb Bridles, double reined *Pelham* Ditto, fine Snaffle Ditto, neat ¾ Curb Ditto, Mouthing Ditto, Stirrups, Croppers, and Girths, both ſingle and double, beſt *New-Market* Twig and Whole-hunting Whips, large and ſmall *London* and *Briſtol* Drop Shot, F and FF Gunpowder, fine common and Agate Gun-flints, trading Guns of different Bores, fine Fowling Pieces, *London* proved, ¾ Inch Bores, blue Barrels with Walnut Stocks, Bridle Locks, and Braſs Furniture; Silk Fiſhing Lines with Corks and Floats, Knots of Silk Ditto, beſt Kirby Hooks, Poſt and Huntſmans Horns, Sand Ink-Horns, Leather Ditto, fine Ditto, Coat and Veſt Buttons of all Sorts, Knitting Needles, Cork-ſcrews, Watch Keys, gilt Seals, Stone Ditto ſet in Silver, Needle Caſes, Tooth-Pick Ditto, Temple Spectacles, Pocket Looking Glaſſes, Sauff Boxes of almoſt all Sorts, Razors and Razor Straps, Steel Inſtrument Caſes, Watch Chains, Hour Glaſſes, fine Spring Spurs, plated Ditto, Eſſence Bottles in Fiſh-ſkin Caſes, fine *French* Beads, both Metal and Stone Sleeve Buttons, Steel Top Thimbles, Silver Ditto, Iron Sauffers, Womens Self-ſars, Ditto with open Shanks and Sheaths, fine plated Shoe-Buckles, 4 Blade Fleams, a Variety of Stag and ſpotted handled Knives, fine Ivory handled Penknives with Caſes, ſmall green handled Dirks, Buck Garters, fine and coarſe Razors with Caſes, Table Knives and Forks of ſeveral Sorts, a Variety of white and yellow Metal and Steel Shoe-Buckles, fine Pearl Necklaces, fine plated and wrought Silver Shoe-Buckles, neat poliſhed Silver Veſt Buttons, a Variety of Stone and Knee Buckles, finely cut Brilliant Stones, Stone Girdle Buckles with Screwtop and open Work, Paſte and Garnet Shirt Buckles, in Forms of Hearts, Crowns, and Roſes, fine Paſte Hat Buckles and black Silk Girdles, Pins and Needles of almoſt all Sorts, painted Sugar Boxes, Canniſters, Horn and Tin Lamboys, Tin Funnels, ſingle and double worm'd Box handled Gimblets, Spike Ditto, Weeding Hoes, Carpenter's Drawing Knives, Flood Gate Box-Irons, Hinges of many Sorts, Tacks, Awl-Blades, Trowels, Locks of almoſt all Sorts, Files Ditto, Handſaws, Adzes, Broad-Axes, Chizzels, Sheep Shears, Steelyards, Nails of moſt Sorts, Augers Ditto, Iron and Copper Tea-Kettles, Braſs Cocks, Bell Metal Skillets, tinned Curry Combs, and long Horſe Bruſhes, beſt Wool Cards, Tow Ditto, beſt *London* made Steel Croſs-cut Saws, whet and ſet, Croſs-cut Saw Files and Sets, Bramble Scythes, Graſs Ditto, Frying Pans, Metal Diſhes, Baſons, Plates, and oval Ink-Stands, blue and white Chamber Pots, painted Punch Bowls, blue and white Baſons, Pipkins, Coffee Pots, and Cans, Tea Pots, Cups and Saucers, Sconce Jars, Milk Pans, Butter Pots, *&c.* Tumblers, Wine Glaſſes, Salts, Mugs, Decanters, Candleſticks, gilt Pocket Bottles, Silver Watches, *Scotch* and *London* Sauff, *Ben Keeton's* beſt Porter, *Glouceſter* and *Cheſhire* Cheeſe, Mens and Womens Laſts, Womens Heels, gilt Trunks, Loaf Sugar, Raiſins of the Sun, Cinnamon, Nutmegs, Allſpice, Cloves, Mace, fineſt Ginger, Brimſtone, Roſin, Allum, Pot, Fools Cap, and Poſt Paper, Ledgers, Journals, Waſte Books, marbled Quire Books, Quarto and long Folio Books, neat Paſteboard Files with Silk Laces, Spelling Books, and ſmall Books for Children, Plays, ſingle Sermons, *Baldwin's* Daily Journal, Lady's Memorandum Book, Chapman Books, Bibles, and Teſtaments, fine Vermilion, Roſet, Drop Lake, *French* Verdigreaſe, ſuperfine genuine Ultramarine, fine Gum-*Arabic*, ground *Braſil* Wood, Argol, Saffron, fine Carmine, Litmoi, Galls, *&c.* Horn, Buckling, Toupee, and Dandriff Combs, beſt Indigo, Book Tea-Cheſts, Pumps, Shoes and Boots, Seines, Drum Lines, Bed Cords, white Rope, *&c. &c. &c.*

Baltimore-Town, April 15, 1765.

RAN away from *Mr. Charles Greenow's*, in *Lower Marlborough*, in *Calvert* County, *Maryland*, on Tueſday the 9th of this Inſtant, an Indented Servant Man named *Robert Milne*, a *Scotchman*, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, of a pale Complexion, black ſtraight Hair, tied behind, has a Wig, and may probably cut his Hair off. Had on and carried with him when he went away, a Parſon's black grey Coat, a little out at the Elbows, Waiſtcoat and Breeches of the ſame, a Drab colour'd Horſeman's Coat, ſeveral Pair of Stockings and Single Channell'd Pumps. One of his Legs is perceptibly ſmaller than the other.

Whoever will ſecure the ſaid Runaway, ſo that the Subſcriber may have him again, if taken in this Province, ſhall have Four Dollars; and if taken out of the Province, Six Dollars Reward, paid by BENJAMIN ROGERS.

April 12, 1765.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, near *Annapolis*, a Conviſt Servant Woman, named *Anne Griffith*, born in *Wales*, and ſpeaks in that Dialect, ſhe is lufty, of a freſh Complexion, and has dark Hair. Had on and with her, a Partridge colour'd Gown, patch'd in the Body with lighter colour'd Stuff, low heel'd Shoes, black or light colour'd Yarn Hoſe, a black Woollen Hat with a Ribbon round the Crown, a white Cloth Petticoat, one old quilted Ditto, one Check Handkerchief, and one Silk Ditto.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo as her Maſter may have her again, ſhall receive Twenty Shillings Reward.

(1) EDWARD OSMOND.

THERE is at the Plantation of *John Wilkeſon*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a middle ſized Roan Gelding, branded on the near Shoulder thus [illegible] ſuppoſed to be 5 Years old this Spring, and had a ſmall Ball cut much'd II.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Baltimore-Town*, *Maryland*, Three Convict Servant Men, viz.

William Harwood, a Shoemaker by Trade, an *Engliſhman*, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, ſmooth faced, of a pale Complexion, and has a large Scar on one of his Ancles. Had on when he went away, a Check Shirt, Linſey Woolſey mill'd Coat and Breeches, with ſmall Stripes of red and black, Thread Stockings, Turn'd Pumps, and a Felt Hat.

Thomas Simmons, an *Engliſhman*, about 27 Years of Age, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, of a pale Complexion, and has a large Scar on one of his Ancles. Had on a light colour'd Cloth Waiſtcoat and Breeches, Oſnabrigs Shirt, Felt Hat, coarſe Shoes, and Stockings.

Joſeph Andrews, an *Italian*, but ſpeaks good *Engliſh*, and ſome *French*, wears his own Hair, which is black, and tied behind, about 27 Years of Age, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, of a brown Complexion, and has loſt ſome of his fore Teeth. Had on a light colour'd Waiſtcoat, a purple colour'd Ditto, brown Cloth Breeches, a white or check Shirt, Felt Hat, white Yarn Stockings, good Shoes, or Pumps.

It is imagined they will change their Cloaths and Names. They have got Caſh with them: and perhaps forged Paſſes, as two of them are artful Fellows.

They took with them three Horſes, viz. A middle ſiz'd Dark Roan, branded on the near Buttock S O. A ſmall Bay, with a Star in his Forehead; the Brand, if any, unknown. A middling large Black Horſe; his Brand, if any, is alſo unknown. They have likewiſe with them a black Dog, with ſome white on his Breaſt and Feet, a neat Braſs Piſtol, and other Things.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servants, and ſecures them in any Jail in this Province, ſo that their Maſters may get them again, ſhall have a Reward of *Fifteen* Pounds Currency; and if brought Home, Twenty Pounds. If taken and ſecured in any Jail out of the Province, Twenty Pounds; and if brought Home, Thirty Pounds; or in Proportion for either of them. A reaſonable Reward will likewiſe be given for bringing Home the Horſes.

DAVID GORSUCH,
JOHN ERSON, junr.

N. B. As they may poſſibly part, Half the above Reward will be given for the Shoe-maker, if taken alone, paid by DAVID GORSUCH.

STRAY'D or Stolen from *Mr. George Frazier Magruder's* Plantation, near *Mr. Cook's*, in *Prince-George's* County, on the 8th of *March* laſt, a large Strawberry Roan Horſe, 15 Hands high at leaſt, branded on the near Shoulder L P, his Hair is rubb'd off his Sides, occaſion'd by the Chair Harneſs, and behind with the Britch Band, he has a large Star in his Forehead, paces ſlow, gallops ſlow, and trots very faſt.

Whoever will ſecure the ſaid *Horſe*, ſo as the Owner may have him again, ſhall be paid Forty Shillings Reward, by

(1) WILLIAM MAGRUDER.

THERE is in the Poſſeſſion of *Daniel Rogers*, living near *Frederick-Town*, taken up as a Stray, a Black Gelding about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder OD, his hind Feet white, and is about 9 Years old.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

HEMP-SEED,

JUST Imported from *London*, in the *Jane*, Capt. COULSON, is to be Sold at a Piſtole a Buſhel, Ready Money: and may be had of *Mr. Benjamin Berry*, at *Upper-Marlborough*, or of

(1) CHARLES DIGGES.

TO BE SOLD,

A LARGE SCHOONER FLAT, which will carry about 40 or 50 Hogſheads of Tobacco, now lying in the Dock at *Annapolis*. Enquire of STEWART and RICHARDSON.

(4)

NOTICE is hereby given to all Perſons Indebted to the Subſcriber, on Expired Mortgages, Protected Bills, Bonds, Notes, and Book-Accounts, That they are deſired to come and ſettle the ſame by the firſt Day of *May* next, at leaſt pay the Intereſt on the Obligations that have been handing ſome Years, otherwiſe proper Proceſſes in Law will be commenced againſt thoſe that are neglect this Notice, by H. RIDGELY.

To be SOLD to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the mouth of Aunt Mary's, on Patuxent River, on Monday the 25th of March next, between the Hours of 10 and 12 in the Forenoon,

A TRACT of Land about 3 Miles from Mr. Lecher's, called Wyfal's Folly, containing Four Hundred and Seventy Acres more or less. Time will be allowed for Payment, on giving good Security. For further Particulars, apply to Mr. John Purnell, or Robert Lecher, junior.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Monday the 3d of June next, at the Dwelling House of Mr. Nathaniel Chance in Queen-Anne's County, near the Ferries,

TWO Thousand Acres of LAND, lying on the Branches of Chapel River, in the County aforesaid, (the Estate of Capt. Matthew Dudley, lately Deceased,) whereon are some small Improvements, the Whole very well Timber'd, and great Quantities of very valuable Meadow may be made thereon. It is convenient to several Landings in Kent County on Delaware, where it will be sold when the Provincial Boundaries are established. It will be sold either in Lots or together, as may best suit the Purchasers; and any Money will be taken in Payment, and reasonable Time given (on Security, if required). For Terms and Title, apply to Thomas Kinccold, Chester-Town; or Solomon Wright, in Queen-Anne's County; to whom any Person inclining to purchase before the Vendue, may apply.

All Persons having Demands against the Estate of Capt. Matthew Dudley, Deceased, are desired to make their Claims known, to

(*6) Solomon Wright.

ALL Persons indebted to ISAAC HARRIS and JONATHAN PINKNEY in Company, of the City of Annapolis, are requested to make Payment of the same before the Tenth Day of May next, otherwise they may depend on being Sued or Warranted, without Distinction.

They carry on the BLACKSMITH's BUSINESS as usual, at their Shop near the Head of the Dock, where any Person may be supplied with what they may want in that Way, at the lowest Price, for READY MONEY only.

(*) Isaac Harris,
Jonathan Pinkney.

CHESTER-TOWN RACES.

TO be Run for, upon the second Wednesday in May next, upon the usual Race-Ground near the Town, a Purse of FORTY PISTOLES, free for any Number of Horses, Mares, or Geldings, (Mr. Galloway's Horse Selim, and Mr. Wetherall's Horse True Britan, only excepted,) upon the following Terms, viz. To Run the best Two in Three Heats, four Times round the Poles for each Heat, to carry 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and the Horse, &c. winning Two Heats, to be intitled to the Purse, and not less than Three repeated Running Horses to Enter and Start, or no Race.

The Day following will be Run for, upon the Ground aforesaid, by Half Bloods, or under, Weight for Age, a Purse of TWENTY PISTOLES, upon the Terms following, viz. four Years old to carry 8 Stone and 7 Pounds, 5 Years old 9 Stone, and 6 Years old or upwards 10 Stone, Saddle and Bridle included, and to Run twice round the Poles to each Heat, and the Horse, &c. winning Two Heats, to win the Purse.

Horses, &c. to be Entered with Mr. James Porter, two Days before Running, and pay Two Pistoles Entrance for the First, and One Pistole for the Second Day's Race.

It is expected that proper Vouchers for the Age and Breed of the Horses, &c. that are to Run the second Day, will be produced, otherwise they will not be suffer'd to Start.

All Disputes will be determined by Judges to be appointed for that Purpose.

STRAY'D or STOLEN from the Subscriber, living near the Patapsco upper Ferry, a dark Bay Mare, near 15 Hands high, with a narrow Blaze in her Face, a Snip on her Nose, long Hair, Sprig Tail, branded on the near Shoulder W, is a natural Pacer, and Rotten-Hamm'd.

Whoever takes up the said Mare, and brings her to the Subscriber, or informs, so that she be had again, shall receive Five Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by

William Miles.

N. B. [illegible] to be sold by their respective Masters, [illegible] PERROLL, who lately broke out of Annapolis Prison. (*)

THERE is at the Plantation of Amos Broughton, near Piscataway, in Prince-George's County, taken up as a Stray, 1 Dark Bay Mare, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock IH in a Fesse, and has some Saddle Spots.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

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WILLIAM LOGAN,

HAVING furnished himself with the Sale of LIQUORS, hereby acquaints the Public, That he has opened TAVERN, at the House where the late Mr. Robert Swan kept Store, where all Gentlemen Travellers, and Others, who will favour him with their Custom, may depend on meeting with the best Entertainment, and the kindest Usage.

He carries on his Business of Powder-Making as usual, at his old Shop, next Door to Mr. Hammond's near the Dock in Annapolis, where Gentlemen may be supplied with all Sorts of Wine, made in the newest Fashion.

6X

THE Brigantine Free-mason, John McKirdy, Master, now lying in the Dock at Annapolis, is fitting out with all Expedition for Sea, and will, by the Middle of next Month, be ready to proceed to any River on the Western or Eastern Shore, where a Certainty can be had of her getting Loaded soon. She will carry 350 Hogsheads, and is a prime Sailer. She will take in Tobacco at fifteen Pounds Sterling per Ton, with Liberty of Consignment to any Merchant in London. Those Gentlemen who have a Mind to take the Advantage of so early an Opportunity to Market, are desired to send a Line to the Subscribers of the Quantity they are willing to Ship, and the Time they can be ready.

9X

(*) Charles Wallace & Company.

WHEREAS one JOHN HUNT, who left England, and in the Year 1748 lived in St. Paul's Parish, Baltimore County, Maryland, as a Saddler, and removed to Watkins Parish in the same County; from thence, 'tis said, he went to Cumberland in Georgia, and from thence to St. Augustine; and in January, 1764, as it is also said, he ordered a Cargo of Goods from London, to be directed to Messrs. Purton and Rogett in St. Augustine, to be left with Messrs. Hopkins and Smallwood, in Charles-Town, South-Carolina: If the said John Hunt be still Alive, and will apply to the Subscriber, living in Baltimore-Town, Maryland, he will hear of Something to his Advantage. If he is Dead, which is most likely, any Person that will bring a proper Certificate of his Death to the Subscriber, shall receive a REWARD of FIVE GUINEAS.

(12*) 3 John Merryman, junior.

Clifts, near Alexandria, VIRGINIA.
10 January 31, 1765.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John Colvill, Gentleman, deceased, and pursuant to the said Will, on the 8th Day of May next ensuing, at the House of Mr. Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, in Frederick County, Maryland, for Sterling Money, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money of Pennsylvania, Maryland, or Virginia, at the current Rates of Exchange,

A VERY valuable Tract of LAND called Maryland, containing 6300 Acres, being and lying in the said County of Frederick, along the lower Side of the Shanadoe Mountain, and the Banks of Patowmack River, within 12 or 13 Miles of the said Frederick-Town and Court-House, where great Trade and Business is carried on. It is very convenient for a Dutch Settlement, as many of those People live on the neighbouring Lands about it: Is well Wooded and Watered, and near to two large Iron-Works. It will be Sold all together, or in Parcels, as may best suit. A Year's Credit will be given for one Half of the Purchase Money (if desired) upon giving good Security, and paying Interest. A Plat of the said Tract will be left at the House of Mr. Charlton aforesaid, together with an authentick Copy of the Will of the said John Colvill.

Thomas Colvill.

N. B. The Subscriber will personally attend at Mr. Charlton's, about the Third Day of May, before the Sale, to produce the Patents and Papers necessary for the Satisfaction of any Person concern'd. (*)

JUST IMPORTED from London, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store at the Head of the Dock in Annapolis, where Capt. Wood formerly kept Store,

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable for the Season, on very reasonable Terms, by Wholesale or Retail, for ready Money, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit.

Colin Campbell.

WHEREAS the Rev^d. Mr. MORRIS, of Cecil-shire in the County of Monmouth, in the Year 1755, took the Resolution of leaving his native Country, and went to the Rev^d. Mr. JONES, Rector of St. Stephen's and Appoquimine Parishes, in Cecil County, Maryland, where he made some Stay: But his Friends have had no late Accounts of him. If said Morris be still Alive, he may hear of something much to his Advantage, by applying to the Subscriber living in Baltimore-Town, Maryland. Or, if he is Dead, the Subscriber will be much obliged to any Person that is acquainted with the Particulars of his Death, to inform him by Letter or otherwise.

(8*) John Merryman, jun^r.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of Nottingham, on Patuxent River, in Prince-George's County, called Bowen's Purlieu, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-House 28 by 26 Feet, finished in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a small Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marsh, which may easily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil. The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Also a Lot of Ground in the Town of Nottingham, whereon is a very good Stone-House 30 Feet square, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Counting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the first Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, compleatly finished, and in good Repair; there is also a good Cellar under the House, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or separate, as the Purchaser chooses, for London Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reasonable Terms.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of Colonel Bowen, late Deceased, are desired to settle and discharge their respective Ballances by the Tenth Day of February next; otherwise they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Respect to Persons.

(*) William Bowen, Executor.

THE Subscribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at BALTIMORE-TOWN, in Maryland, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have seen it) is allowed to be one of the largest, compleatest and best constructed STILL-HOUSE of any in North-America: And having furnished themselves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpose to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extensively, and to supply confantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the same as the Philadelphia Prices, at least on much lower Terms than the Province of Maryland has been generally supplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the best Judges, and deemed superior to either Philadelphia or New-England RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the same approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is so well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and so convenient for supplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to Baltimore Market, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; It is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade so useful, and so much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentlemen wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timeous Notice may be supplied, and proper Allowance made to such.

Their humble Servants,
Samuel & Robert Purviance, & Comp.

SUPPLEMENT

To the *MARYLAND* GAZETTE, [Nº. 1041.]

Annapolis, *April* 18, 1765.

BARBADOS, January 19, 1765.
By the KING's Authority.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given, That the Commissioners appointed by his Majesty for the Sale and Disposal of Lands in the Islands of Grenada, the Grenadines, Tobago, St. Vincent, and Dominica, are (in Consequence of Resolutions taken at a Board held in Barbados the fifth Day of January, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-five) about to proceed immediately to the several Islands that are the Object of their Commission, for the more speedy and effectual Execution of his Majesty's Instructions.

That they shall accordingly, in Conjunction with the Governor-General of the Grenades and Neutral Islands, or in his Absence, with the Lieutenant Governor of each Island, respectively, proceed to divide the Islands of Tobago and St. Vincent into convenient Districts or Parishes, and set apart, in these and the other Islands, such Lands (in the most convenient Situations) as shall be thought most proper for Fortifications, Yards for the Use of the Navy, and other military Purposes.

That the said Commissioners shall determine on a proper Situation in every Parish for a Town convenient for Trade and Navigation; such Towns to consist of Lots of different Size and Extent for Houses, to which Gardens or Fields will be annexed, not exceeding six Acres, to any one Town-Lot: And that in laying out such Town-Lots, they shall reserve convenient Places for Wharfs and Quays, and for all other necessary public Uses; and reserve in every Parish such Wood Lands as shall seem necessary for the Construction and Repair of Fortifications and public Buildings, and to prevent that Drought which in these Climates is the usual Consequence of a total Removal of the Woods.

That they shall also trace out the Direction of all great Roads in each Island respectively, for the Conveniency of Communication between Town and Town, and set out Roads between the Allotments of Plantation Lands, for the Conveniency of the Purchasers thereof.

That uncleared Lands shall be set apart in each Parish for such poor Settlers as shall apply to the Governor-General of the Grenades and Neutral Islands, or the Lieutenant-Governor of the Island where such Lands lie, for the same.

That the native Caribbees of St. Vincent are to continue undisturbed in the Possession of their Cottages and Grounds.

That with Respect to the cleared Lands in the Islands of St. Vincent and Dominica, as the same have been occupied by the French in open Violation of the Faith of Treaties made between the Crowns of Great Britain and France, and in express Contradiction to the public Orders issued by the Court of France; and as no Authority has been given to any of the Governors to make Grants thereof, the Commissioners are forbid to allow of any Establishment of the French, in Consequence of the Settlements made by them in the said Islands: But his Majesty has nevertheless been graciously pleased to encourage the present French Inhabitants to continue under his paternal Care and Protection, on certain Terms, Restrictions, and Reservations; and the Commissioners accordingly shall and will, with all convenient Speed, proceed to execute his Majesty's Instructions on that Head, as follows:

That is to say, To such of the French Inhabitants of the said Islands as shall take the Oath of Allegiance, and make and subscribe the Declaration of Abjuration, Leases shall be prepared and granted by the Commissioners, which shall also pass under the Seal of the Government of Grenada, and be registered in the Office of the Secretary of the Island where the Lands lie, of such cleared Lands as were in the Possession of the said French at the Time of the Surrender of the Islands aforesaid, and still are in their Possession (together with such small Parcels of contiguous Lands in Wood as may be convenient to the Lessee, and which the Commissioners may think reasonable to insert in such Lease) unless such cleared Lands are found necessary for public Uses; in which Case other Lands shall be allotted them in Lieu thereof, and the full Value and Improvements shall be ascertained, and Compensation made for them in the most fair and equitable Manner.

That such Leases shall be for Fourteen, Twenty-one, Thirty-two, or Forty Years, at the Option of the Lessees; or 14 Years, renewable at the Pleasure of the Lessee; for a Number of Years not exceeding Forty in the Whole: And, in Consideration of which Leases, such Fines and Quit-rents shall be paid down, as are thought proportionable to the Term of Years and Quality of Land.

That the Land so demised shall not be assignable to any other Person, without a Licence first had from the Governor-General of the Grenades and Neutral Islands, or Commander in Chief for the Time being, and approved by the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations.

That the Lessee shall reside one Half of the Year in the Island where the Lands lie. And in Cases where Lands were held before the late Peace by several French Proprietors jointly, some of whom are since retired from them, they are to be severed into Parts, and indulgence shewn in the Division to those who are contented to remain and receive their Portions, and who will also enjoy every Advantage that peculiarly belongs to British Subjects.

That in Case any French Inhabitants should rather prefer uncleared Lands in any of the Islands, to the cleared Lands on the Terms above-mentioned, uncleared Lands, unincumbered with the Terms of the Lease, shall be allotted them in Lieu thereof by the said Commissioners; and they shall moreover be paid the Value of the Buildings they leave.

That these Provisions shall not however extend to such as occupy more than 500 Acres in the Island of St. Vincent, and 300 Acres in the Island of Dominica: If any such there be, the Commissioners shall reduce their Possessions to those Numbers, and dispose of the Surplus in the same Manner as of Lands not occupied by French Inhabitants.

That the Commissioners are impowered by his Majesty to determine who are to be deemed French Inhabitants, and what Lands they shall be deemed possessed of, within the Meaning of the King's Instructions: That religious Communities are not to be considered as included herein; such Lands as they have been possessed of will be sold for the public Benefit.

That no Grants, Bargains, or Sales whatever, hitherto made (excepting legal Sales in Grenada and the Grenadines) will be assented to or allowed of, as his Majesty has been pleased to declare that no Authority has been granted to any of his Governors for this Purpose. His Majesty has notwithstanding been pleased to except twenty-five Town-Lots, consisting of forty Feet in Front and one hundred and fifty Feet in Depth, granted by Governor Dalrymple in the Town of Charlotville in the Island of Dominica: And the Commissioners are directed to confirm these Grants, by giving to the several Grantees Certificates that the said Lots were so conveyed to them; which shall intitle them to Grants thereof under the Seal of the Islands, provided they agree to insert in such Grants the same Conditions as are in all other Grants of Town Lots.

That with Respect to all Lands in any of the Islands which are the Object of the Commission, and which are not comprised within the above Description of Lands reserved for public Uses; Lands set apart for poor Settlers; Lands which are the rightful Property of the Inhabitants of Grenada and the Grenadines; or that may be leased out to the French Inhabitants of Dominica or St. Vincent, or possessed by the native Caribbees; they shall be divided into Allotments for Plantations; to consist, in the Islands of Grenada and the Grenadines, Tobago, and St. Vincent, of not less than 100, nor more than 500 Acres; and in the Island of Dominica, of not less than 50, nor more than 300 Acres of Land: In doing of Which, Care will be taken that each Lot shall have every Convenience that the Circumstances and Nature of the Ground will admit of.

That the said Town-Lots, and Garden or Pasture Ground, shall be laid out with all convenient Speed, in order that, if uncleared, the Governor-General of the Grenades and Neutral Islands, or the Lieutenant-Governor of each Island respectively, may dispose thereof to such as apply for them; or, if consisting of cleared Land, that they may be sold, in like Manner, as the Plantation Lands hereafter mentioned, by public Auction; subject in either Case to the Conditions, that a Dwelling-House, Shop, Warehouse, or Out-house, shall be erected thereon within the Space of two Years from the Date of the Grant; and a Quit Rent of One Penny Sterling per Foot in Front for the Town Lot, and Six-pence Sterling per Annum for every Acre of Garden or Pasture Ground: And the Sale and Grants of such Town and Pasture Lots, and also Grants to poor Settlers, shall be irrevokable.

That the Plantation Allotments aforesaid, as well of uncleared Lands as those cleared, which have been occupied by religious Societies, or which, by Reason of the Absence or Refusal of French Inhabitants, shall not be granted on Lease in the Manner above directed, shall be put up to Sale, at a Price not less than five Pounds Sterling per Acre, if the Lands are cleared, and not less than One Pound Sterling per Acre, if the Lands are uncleared; and be sold by public Auction to the highest Bidder, at the general Sale to be held twice in every Year, in the most healthy Seasons, either at Grenada or the Island where such Lands are situated, on the following Terms and Conditions, that is to say,

That no Person shall be permitted to purchase from the Crown, either in his own Name or in the Name of others in Trust for him, more than Allotments to the Amount of 500 Acres in the Island where the Lands lie, or more than 300 Acres if in the Island of Dominica.

That the highest Bidder of each Lot shall be declared the Purchaser, who shall thereupon pay down Twenty per Cent of the whole Purchase-money, and Six-pence Sterling for each Acre of which his Lot shall consist, to defray the Expence of surveying the same; whereupon he shall receive a Bill of Sale and a Certificate from the Commissioners of his being the highest Bidder; upon producing which Bill of Sale and Certificate to the Governor-General of the Grenades and the Neutral Islands, or Commander in Chief for the Time being, he shall be intitled to a Grant in Fee Simple, (under the Seal of the Islands) of the Lands by him purchased, and take Possession thereof, such Grant to be registered in the Secretary's Office of the respective Island where the Lands lie.

That in Case of Fraud, Collusion, or other Contravention to the King's Instructions, and not otherwise, the Grant shall be revokable for the Space of Twelve Months from the Date thereof, by the Lord High Treasurer, or the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury for the Time being; but if not revoked, within that Term, the same shall then be absolute; if revoked, Notice thereof shall be immediately given, and the Money immediately given to the Purchaser, with the usual Interest of the Island, and Compensation also made for all Sums of Money which shall bona fide, have been laid out for the Clearing, Improving, or Building on any Part of the Lands contained in such Grant, to be ascertained by Arbitration, and the Lands shall be again put up to Sale.

That of the Purchase-money remaining due, Ten per Cent more than the 20 per Cent above mentioned, shall be paid within the first Year after the Date of the Bill of Sale, Ten per Cent the second Year, and Twenty per Cent every succeeding Year, until the Whole shall be paid: But, In Default of any of the said Payments, the Land shall be liable to be forfeited, and again sold, in order that the King may be first paid, and the Residue shall be the Property of those before intitled to it.

That from twelve Months after the Date of the Grant, the Purchaser shall clear away at the Rate of five Acres in the Hundred annually, until one Half of the cultivable Land shall be cleared, under a Penalty of Five Pounds Sterling per Annum for every Acre not cleared, in Pursuance of this Condition.

That

That for every 50 Acres of cleared Land, the Purchaser is or shall be poſſeſſed of, he ſhall keep thereon one white Man, or two white Women, under a Penalty of Forty Pounds Sterling for every white Man, and Twenty Pounds Sterling for every white Woman that ſhall be wanting; and pay an annual Quit Rent of Six-pence Sterling per Acre, on whatever cleared Land he has purchaſed, or ſhall clear in Purſuance of the Conditions required.

That a Reſervation ſhall be made to the King of all Gold or Silver Mines which are now, or may hereafter be diſcovered in the ſaid Iſlands.

That the firſt Sale ſhall commence in the Iſland of Tobago, on Tueſday the 14th Day of May next.

That Tueſday the 28th Day of May next, ſhall be the firſt Day of Sale in the Iſland of St. Vincent.

That Tueſday the 11th Day of June next, ſhall be the firſt Day of Sale in the Iſland of Dominica.

That each Sale ſhall be continued every ſucceſſive Day, until the ſame ſhall be compleated.

That the Commiſſioners in the mean Time, ſhall proceed to ſettle Terms with the French Inhabitants of St. Vincent and Dominica, and execute Leaſes with them, as directed by His Majeſty.

That all Payments of Fines for Leaſes, as well as of Purchaſe-money, ſhall be made conformable to the King's Inſtructions to the Receiver, in good Gold Specie, to be taken by Weight, at the Rate of Three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Three-pence Sterling, per Ounce.

That Advertiſements deſcriptive of the Situation and Soil of each Allotment ſhall be publiſhed as ſoon as poſſible; and,

That although no particular Deſcription can yet be given of the Land to be ſold at the firſt Sale in each Iſland, yet, in general, it may be proper to inform the Public, that the Lots to be ſold in Tobago, will lie chiefly in the Neighbourhood of Great Courland Bay, Man of War Bay, Great Rockley Bay, Cochongras Bay, (now called Barbados Bay) and Little Hog Bay.

That Towns ſhall be laid out in each of theſe Bays with all convenient Speed.

That the Sale in St. Vincent, ſhall conſiſt of uncleared Lands, as well as the valuable Tracts of cleared Land that may have been occupied by religious Societies, or not granted on Leaſe, by Reaſon of the Abſence or Refuſal of the late French Poſſeſſors: And,

That Towns ſhall be laid out contiguous to the Bay of Wallibounny and Barrowalley, or elſewhere, as may be thought expedient.

That the Sale in Dominica, will conſiſt of uncleared and valuable cleared Lands, as has been explained concerning St. Vincent, including the Eſtates poſſeſſed by the Society of Jeſuits, near Grand Bay, ſo well known for their ſuperior Excellency and Improvements: And,

That in particular, a Town and Plantation Allotments, ſhall be laid out at Prince Rupert's Bay.

By Direction of the Commiſſioners,

(3t) JOHN GREG, Secretary.

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A NEW SCHOONER, of about 30 Tons Burthen, a prime Sailer, and compleatly Rigged: As alſo a likely NEGRO MAN, who has been bred to the Water, and is a good Pilot.

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(tf) ROBERT BEVERLEY.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Eſtate of Col. JOHN ADDISON, late of *Prince-George's* County, Deceaſed, are requeſted to make ſpeedy Payment: And all thoſe who have any legal Claims on the ſaid Deceaſed's Eſtate, are deſired to bring in their reſpective Claims, that they may be adjuſted and paid.

(tf) THOMAS ADDISON, jun'. Executor.

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